

## Message Text

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TAGS: SHUM, PINT, NP  
SUBJECT: B.P. KOIRALA HEARINGS START

REF: KATHMANDU 0899

1. B. P. KOIRALA APPEARED FEBRUARY 20 BEFORE SPECIAL TRIBUNAL OF ZONAL COURT JUDGE JANAK MAN SHRESTHA FOR HEARING ON FIRST OF SEVEN CHARGES AGAINST HIM. ACCORDING TO ONE OF KOIRALA LAWYERS, PROCEEDINGS STARTED AT 11:00 A.M. AND ENDED ABOUT 5:00 PM. GOVERNMENT PROSECUTOR PRESENTED HIS ARGUMENTS IN CASE, AND LAWYER GANESH RAJ SHARMA BEGAN HIS REPLY BUT DID NOT FINISH. REPRESENTATIVE OF OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY, RSS, WAS ONLY PRESS REPRESENTATIVE ALLOWED TO BE PRESENT. KOIRALA CONFERRED WITH HIS LAWYERS FOR ABOUT 15 MINUTES BEFORE HEARING STARTED, AND WAS PRESENT IN COURTROOM DURING HEARING. PROCEEDINGS WILL RESUME FEBRUARY 21.

2. FIRST CASE INVOLVES CHARGES UNDER STATE OFFENCES ACT IN CONNECTION WITH ATTEMPT OF ONE BOM BAHADUR TO EXPLODE A HAND GRENADE IN POLICE HEADQUARTERS AT PHUSRE IN KOSI ZONE IN 1974.

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